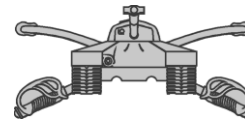


# Armor



Year Group 2022

**INTELLIGENCES:** Bodily-Kinesthetic, Interpersonal, Spatial

**KNOWLEDGE:** The Armor branch desires officers with academic backgrounds that span the entire spectrum of disciplines and majors offered at our nation's undergraduate institutions. Broad individual experiences contribute to the success of the branch.

- **RELEVANT EDUCATION / EXPERIENCE:** Leadership role in team athletics; Cadet Troop Leading Time / Leader Development Time (CTLT / CLDT) with Tank / Scout PL; Company / Troop CDR; Armor or Basic Training/OSUT units; Staff Officer (not all inclusive). Prior enlisted time in a Maneuver branch.
- **RELEVANT TRAINING / CERTIFICATIONS:** Scout Leaders Course; Bradley Commander and Gunner Course; Stryker Scout Commander Course; Ranger; Airborne; Air Assault; Maneuver Leader Maintenance Course.

**SKILLS:** Armor officers are leaders of teams who are experts in combined arms, reconnaissance, and security operations. They possess the technical and tactical competence, social and cultural awareness, and oral and written communications skills needed to cultivate trust, and teamwork. Armor officers are responsible for training their units for combat to defeat lethal, adaptive enemies in all types of terrain. Armor officers lead their tank formations, closing with and destroying the enemy, as well as lead scouts conducting reconnaissance and security. They are physically fit and mentally tough, prepared to succeed under the most adverse conditions. They are leaders who possess a flexibility of mind, able to utilize multiple technologies to devise solutions to complex and dynamic challenges. Armor officers are comfortable making decisions in ambiguous environments, developing courses of action, determining and mitigating risks, then precisely and effectively communicating plans to accomplish the task or mission.

**BEHAVIORS:** (In addition to foundational)

Results Oriented

Cooperation/Teamwork

Initiative

Problem Solving

Self-aware

**TALENT PRIORITIES:**

1. **MENTALLY TOUGH:** Stress tolerant and emotionally mature. Performs well even under extreme psychological stress.
2. **PHYSICALLY FIT:** Physically tough, gritty, and tenacious. Performs well even under extreme physiological stress.
3. **COMMUNICATOR:** Precise, efficient, and compelling in both written and spoken word.
4. **TECHNOLOGICALLY ADEPT:** Understands and comfortably uses the latest technologies.
5. **PROBLEM SOLVER:** Able to choose between best practices and unorthodox approaches to reach a solution. Accomplishes the task.
6. **INNOVATIVE:** Creative, inquisitive, and insightful. Easily identifies new solutions and catalyzes change.